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SUBJECT: QATAR FORMALLY REQUESTS U.S. SUPPORT FOR HUMAN
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(SBU) Embassy received October 19 a diplomatic note from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs notifying us formally (reftel) that the State of Qatar is a candidate for membership on the Human Rights Council for the period 2010-13 and requests U.S. support for Qatar's election.

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